



Aloha from Marine Corps Base Hawaii

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October 4, 2013

Marine Corps Air Station

MCAS Kaneohe Bay hours of operation: Running modified hours until October 28 for runway construction

Monday & Friday: 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Tuesday - Thursday: 7 a.m. – midnight

(Closed Saturdays, Sundays and holidays)

Exceptions: Monday, October 7, 7 a.m. – midnight

Ulupau Crater Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 6 a.m. – 11 p.m.

Pu'uloa Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Events

Deployments:

- Marines and sailors with 3d Battalion, 3d Marine Regiment are currently deployed to Okinawa as part of the Unit Deployment Program.
- Marines and sailors with Charlie Battery, 1st Battalion, 12th Marine Regiment are deployed to Okinawa as part of the Unit Deployment Program.

Announcements:

- MCB Hawaii will conduct a shoreline stabilization project near the H3 gate from September 30 to February 18. Construction for the project is scheduled for Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Join the Marines and sailors of MCB Hawaii for the Splash and Dash Biathlon. The race is open to the public and will include a 500 meter swim in beautiful Kaneohe Bay and a 5K run along the base runway and taxiway. The race will take place on Sunday, October 20. Information and registration are available at www.mccs.com/races.

Community reminders:

- Final EIS for the MV-22 and H-1 aircrafts is available [here](#).
- For information about job opportunities at MCB Hawaii, visit the MCCS site, www.mccshawaii.com, or call 254-7632.

News

Government shutdown: Marine Corps Base Hawaii adjusts to closures, changes – On Oct. 1, the Federal government shut down, affecting nearly 800,000 federal workers. A large portion of the 1,500 civilian employees aboard Marine Corps Base Hawaii have been furloughed. [Full Story](#)

Lima Company returns from Australia – Marines and sailors with Lima Company, 3rd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, returned from their deployment in Darwin, Australia, arriving at the 3rd Bn., 3rd Marines headquarters building Sept. 26, 2013. [Full Story](#)

- **To express concerns** about base operations, including flight operations and base personnel, please call our hotline phone number, 257-8832, or send a message from <http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/Departments/BaseInspector/FormalComplaint.aspx>.
- For noise concerns, call 257-8832.
- For additional information about community event support, contact the **MCBH Public Affairs Office** at 257-8832/8838, or send an e-mail message to KBAZ.PAO.FCT@USMC.mil. You may also access the current issue and archived past issues of our base newspaper, **The Hawaii Marine**, at <http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/news/hawaiimarine.aspx>.
- Information about MCB Hawaii's **Marine Corps Community Services (MCCS)** programs, on-base business and job opportunities, and special events is available at <http://www.mccshawaii.com>.
- The **U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Pacific** website provides a wide array of information and links to other sites of interest, at <http://www.marforpac.marines.mil/>. MarForPac, the senior Marine Corps command in the Pacific region, includes more than 74,000 Marines serving at 12 bases and stations in Hawaii, California, Arizona & Japan, and deployed aboard Navy ships to worldwide locations. The website for the **MARFORPAC Band** is <http://www.marforpac.marines.mil/band>.